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TEN CENTS A WEEK

## BUSINESS MEN ARE MUCH ENCOURAGED

Is Possible That Quarantines Will Be Raised Oct. 15.

### THE SITUATION IS SATISFACTORY

The Country Parishes Will, to a Great Extent, Act Upon Advice of Authorities (and Raise Restrictions Against New Orleans Very Soon.

New Orleans, Oct. 5.—Up to noon today there were nine new cases of yellow fever and two deaths.

New Orleans, La., Oct. 5.—With only one death over night and a comparatively small number of new cases reported early in the day, the promise was today for some further improvement in the fever situation.

There is every probability that the present week will show the lowest number of deaths since the fever started, making it plain that a considerable proportion of the cases which are reported in the official lists are diseases other than yellow fever.

With the prospect that quarantines will be lifted generally during the present month, the railroads are making preparations for the resumption of full train service. Many trains were annulled when the quarantines were established, but it is believed now that a full service will be restored on all the lines by the end of the present month.

### Business Men Encouraged.

To business men, the most encouraging feature of the yellow fever situation is the disposition that is being manifested by parishes and towns in Louisiana to raise their quarantines about Oct. 15, in harmony with the suggestion of Dr. White and President Rousson. If the rule is generally followed, New Orleans will recover more rapidly in a business way than in 1897 and 1898, when the mosquito theory being unknown, the outside country refused to remove restrictions until from Same Iberville, Terrebonne, Kentwood and Acadia have sent word that they will probably dispense with their quarantine about the time suggested, while Baton Rouge now has the matter under consideration, Health Officer Dupree and Surgeon Corbett both having made it plain to the citizens that there will be practically no danger in a resumption of relations with this city.

The pace having been set, it is probable that many more parishes will follow suit and that by the time of the president's arrival practically all the bars will be down. There is great eagerness among country people to come here, and participate in the jubilee that will attend the president's visit.

Today was another day of gloomy weather with light showers, but the fever situation has lot whatever alarming features it may have possessed. For the fifth day there has not been a single case reported from the original infected region and for several days no deaths in the emergency hospital, while the cases under treatment there have dropped to 25, and nearly all the patients are doing well.

### University Opens Nov. 1.

The Louisiana state university, it is announced, will open on Nov. 1. The various departments of Tulane university will open about the same time. The public schools in many parts of Louisiana are already in operation.

Superintendent Nelson of the New Orleans schools has issued an order to each of the 900 teachers employed to give brief talks daily to the children on the mosquito theory. There are to be prizes for each school teacher to study and later illustrate lessons for the little ones.

### WIN Banquet President.

One of the chief features of the president's reception here was to provide a banquet at which the representative citizens of Gainesville would have gathered and the president of course would be present to speak freely. Arrangements for this banquet are being made by the citizens of Gainesville and it is expected that the banquet will be a very successful one.

ident arriving at 9 in the forenoon and going aboard his cruiser at 6 in the evening. An effort will be made to persuade him to extend his stay in order that he may attend the banquet.

### Cruiser Pennsylvania Selected.

Washington, Oct. 5.—The armored cruiser Pennsylvania has been tentatively selected to convey President Roosevelt from New Orleans to Norfolk on his return from his southern trip. Rear Admiral Brownson, commanding the armored cruiser division of the North Atlantic fleet, and Captain McLean, of the Pennsylvania, were at the navy department today and conferred with the officials regarding the arrangements for the voyage. From Norfolk the president will be conveyed to Washington by the Mayflower. Captain Winslow has arrived here from Newport and was at the navy department today.

### Situation At Pensacola.

Pensacola, Fla., Oct. 5.—One case and one death at noon. Thirty-five left at noon for the detention camp, which opened today.

### DEFENDS J. D. ROCKEFELLER.

Cry of "Tainted Money" Comes from the Drones of Society.

Chicago, Oct. 5.—"I would rather be John D. Rockefeller today, divested of his wealth and with his lovable personality, than any of the crew, saints or sinners, who are attacking him.

The foregoing is a quotation from an interview published today from Dr. D. K. Parsons, a Chicago millionaire, nationally known as a philanthropist.

"Tainted money," continued Mr. Parsons, "to the popular mind, excited just now by socialistic outcries, there is no wealth that is untainted. This cry of 'tainted money' is no jest. It is unfair and not American. It has become the rallying cry of the socialist, the drone and the discontented member of society who hates those whose talents or wealth exceed his own."

### EIGHTEEN INJURED IN WRECK.

Train Leaves Track Upon a Curve and Coaches Turn Over.

Connellsville, Pa., Oct. 5.—Fifteen to eighteen people were injured, five of them seriously, in the wreck today of train No. 1, the Fairmont express on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad at Round Bottom, near Morgantown, W. Va.

Three coaches, including the baggage car, ladies' coach and a Pullman gage car, left the rails on a curve and tumbled over the bank to the edge of the Monongahela river.

Grant Burns, of Haslewood, Pa., conductor of the train, has a broken arm and is bruised and cut.

James D. Ellenberger, and son, C. W. Ellenberger, both of Dunbar, Pa., Baltimore and Ohio bridge carpenters, are among the most seriously injured.

### Plotting to Overthrow Germans.

Berlin, Oct. 5.—The Colonial section of the foreign office first heard of the arrest of Andrew Dewet, near Vitoria, German Southwest Africa, on the charge of plotting with four other Boers to overthrow German rule in Southwest Africa, from South African papers of the latter part of August which reached Berlin last Monday, but were not opened until yesterday. The foreign office telegraphed to the governor of Southwest Africa for a report on the subject but considers that the incident probably has been much exaggerated as otherwise the governor would have regarded it as worth reporting.

### Miss Roosevelt at Yokohama.

Yokohama, Oct. 5.—Miss Alice Roosevelt and her party arrived here today on the steamer L. Mikasa, from Shimoda. Miss Roosevelt was received by the American minister to the Japanese court, who is minister of the ceremonies and the governor, but declined any formalities. She will stay at a hotel here tonight, and tomorrow will go sightseeing into the interior until Oct. 13, when the party headed by H. H. Harrison and Miss Roosevelt will leave Yokohama for the Japanese coast on the steamer Mikasa.

## RUSSIA AND JAPAN ON FRIENDLY TERMS

Diplomatic Relations Are Resumed Between Ministers.

### ARRANGING TO RATIFY TREATY

It Seems Certain that the Ratifications of the Peace Treaty Are To Be Exchanged in Washington—Conference Lasted Only a Few Minutes.

Washington, Oct. 5.—Diplomatic relations between Russia and Japan were resumed at the state department for a short time today while Baron Rosen, the Russian ambassador, and M. Takahira, the Japanese minister in the form of ratification of their respective countries.

The call was made by appointment at the request of M. Takahira, who desired to see the Russian form of ratification.

Accordingly, Secretary Root sent for Mr. Smith, chief of the diplomatic bureau of the state department, who brought to the diplomatic room a copy of a Russian extradition treaty which gave Mr. Takahira the information he desired.

The envoys remained for a few minutes in conversation with Secretary Root, and then left the department without further exchanges. They bowed pleasantly as they parted outside the diplomatic room.

It would seem certain from this that ratification of the peace treaty are to be exchanged at Washington.

As soon as the date for the exchange of these ratifications has been agreed upon, special plenipotentiary powers will be cabled to Baron Rosen and M. Takahira by their respective emperors.

The exact form which the powers shall take was discussed at today's conference, both envoys being anxious that there should be no difficulty on that point.

The form of the powers will necessarily be identical.

### Accident Stops Airship.

Brookton Mass., Oct. 5.—Roy Knabenshue, the aeronaut, met with an accident to his airship today on the Brookton fair grounds, while trying to make an ascension. The young man was not injured. The ship had risen about 20 yards, when the motor missed a number of revolutions. This prevented steering and the great bag containing the gas struck a flag pole on one of the buildings, stopping the flight. Knabenshue shouted to his assistants on the ground and they tossed him ropes. He was able to descend in safety. The netting covering the ship was torn.

### Portland, Ore., Has Big Fire.

Portland, Ore., Oct. 5.—Fire last night which did damage to the extent of \$110,000, destroyed an entire block of wholesale houses in this city, bounded by Salmon, Taylor and Front streets and the Willamette river. The fire started in the basement of the New Era Paint and Oil company, from spontaneous combustion. It is thought, and rapidly spread to the adjoining structures of the block which were all frame buildings. The insurance equals about half the loss.

### Rupture Between Foreign Countries.

Bucharest, Roumania, Oct. 5.—As a sequel of the breaking off of diplomatic relations between Roumania and Greece, it was confidentially announced today that Roumania will denounce the international convention with Greece, withdraw the recognition line erts according to the Greek constitution, increase the tolls on Greek vessels entering Roumanian ports and the property held by Greeks in Roumania.

### Printers' Union Fifty Years Old.

Nashville, Tenn., Oct. 5.—Nashville Typographical Union No. 20, celebrated its fiftieth anniversary last night at Glendale park, near this city with a dance and banquet. Among the speakers were John J. Connelley, E. H. Robinson, of the Nashville Banner, and Walter D. C. Hall, who was in Jernett's staff.

### LOST MONEY IN SPECULATION.

Largest Cotton Mill in South Carolina Effects Reorganization.

Union, S. C., Oct. 5.—A special meeting of the stockholders of the Union cotton Mill, Union, S. C., one of the largest in the state, was held for the purpose of effecting a reorganization. Stockholders were present from Baltimore, New York, and other eastern cities. Of the 7,530 shares, 6,614 were represented in person and by proxy.

The feature of the meeting, which lasted for two hours, was the submitting by expert accountants, who have been at work on the company's books for some time, of a statement of the mill's condition.

This report showed facilities of \$2,700,000, and revealed the fact that the mill had been losing money for several years, only maintaining itself by speculation in cotton. Since Jan. 7, however, it appears that the mill has lost \$500,000 by speculation. The report also showed that President Duncan was individually indebted to the mill for \$481,000, and the Buffalo mills, with which he is connected, is indebted to it in the sum of \$500,000.

### RAISED SEEDLESS COTTON.

Several Acres of Peculiar Staple on Congressman Livingston's Farm.

Covington, Ga., Oct. 5.—W. B. Livingston, and one of the prosperous planters of West Newton, tells of a peculiar kind of cotton grown on his farm this year.

Mr. Livingston says he has several acres planted in cotton, which has produced a seedless variety of the staple. With the exception of the total absence of seed, the appearance of this patch of cotton is not unlike the rest of his crop. The yield is about the same per acre, and there is apparently no difference in the staple.

He planted his entire crop of cotton with the same variety of seed, fertilized and cultivated it all in the same manner.

### New Bank for Atlanta.

Atlanta, Oct. 5.—By January 1 the new trust and banking company which is to occupy the ground floor of the new Chandler building, will be organized and ready for business. This new financial institution, which will be one of the largest of its kind in the south, will be known as the Central Bank and Trust corporation. The capital stock of the new concern will be \$500,000 to start with, and the incorporators have the right to increase it to \$2,000,000, which they feel sure their business will warrant at no distant date.

### Militia Jeered by Texans.

Edna, Tex., Oct. 5.—There is little new in the situation regarding the chase after the negro Monk Gibson, charged with the murder of five members of the Condit family. There are still 200 men in the bottom, who have been searching for miles with no trace of the negro that has led anywhere. Four companies of militia are encamped here and they are being jeered by many of the younger element, while the older hands content themselves with criticisms of the governor and facetious remarks about "the soldiers."

### Superstition Shot by Poole.

Florence, Ala., Oct. 5.—John H. Denton was shot and fatally wounded at noon today in the river bottom opposite State Line island, by a posse which was attempting to arrest him. Denton has the reputation of being a desperate character, and the officers attempted to take him by surprise. As Sheriff Hall approached him he drew a pistol, but before he could use it he was shot from the rear by one of the posse. Denton was wanted for selling liquor without a license. He was formerly a Sheriff's policeman.

### Burned Out Second Time.

Meriden, Conn., Oct. 5.—Fire shortly before midnight totally destroyed the building and stock of goods of the Tyler Grocery company, at the corner of South Temple street and Forest avenue. The loss is about \$75,000. The Tyler Grocery company was burned out on Meriden about six weeks ago and the company had just removed to their new quarters.

## ONE MAN IS KILLED AND TWO WOUNDED

Tragedy Takes Place in Saloon at Mobile, Alabama.

### MURDERER LOCKED UP IN JAIL

No reason is given for the crime—The Man Who Committed the Deed Refuses to Talk—All Parties Are Prominent People.

Mobile, Ala., Oct. 5.—Price Baker, aged 26, member of a prominent family, was instantly killed this morning and Hamilton McKenn, aged 36, and Joseph Hart, Jr., aged 28, were wounded, the former fatally and the latter seriously.

John Fischer, an engineer on the Seaboard Air Line, with headquarters at Raleigh, N. C., did the shooting in a saloon on Dauphin street, a principal thoroughfare of the city. No reason is assigned but an old feud is supposed to have led to the tragedy.

Fischer comes of a well known Mobile family and only reached here Sunday from Raleigh on a visit.

### PAT CROW IS CAPTURED.

Wanted by Omaha, Neb., Police for Kidnaping Cudahy's Son.

Butte, Montana, Oct. 5.—Pat Crowe, wanted by the Omaha police for the kidnaping of the son of millionaire Packer Edward Cudahy, in 1900, was arrested in this city late Tuesday.

Crowe's identification has been made complete through photographs sent in the authorities by the Omaha officers. Crowe acknowledged he was the fugitive, becoming alarmed when he feared the authorities were going to kill him.

Captain of Police W. F. McGraw and Detective Melhorny made the arrest, placing the muzzle of their revolver against his stomach as he emerged from a saloon in the theatrical section of the city. Crowe declared he would return to Omaha without resistance papers.

He cursed bitterly at his arrest, expressing chagrin at his apprehension in a town the size of Butte, when he, as he said, had traveled the world over and evaded capture in all the large cities.

### Acquitted of Murder Charge.

Carnegie, Ga., Oct. 5.—The jury in the case of Plato D. Jordan charged with the murder of Adolphus Starr, another prominent young white man, returned a verdict acquitting the defendant. The crime with which young Jordan was charged occurred on June 8, 1901, in Canon, Ga., where he shot Mr. Starr on the public grounds in the heart of the town. Jordan was tried at the September term, 1902, of Franklin superior court, before Judge Bates and convicted of involuntary manslaughter. He was sentenced to four years in the penitentiary. The supreme court granted a new trial. The defense made a motion this week when the case was called to continue, but was ruled to trial by Judge Russell.

### Minister of Finance Reports.

Copenhagen, Oct. 5.—Minister of Finance Lassen today submitted the budget for 1906-07 to the lower house of parliament. He estimated the revenue at about \$21,425,000, and the expenditure at about \$25,750,000. Minister Lassen is the first minister of finance to recognize in his budget the international chamber of agriculture started under the auspices of the king of Italy on the initiative of David Lubin, of California. The minister asks for an appropriation to enable Denmark to participate in the establishment of the chamber.

### Chaplain Taggart Reports the Duty.

Columbus, O., Oct. 5.—Captain E. F. Taggart, whose divorce case in Worcester attracted the attention of the entire country for weeks, arrived at the Columbus barracks and reported for duty. He declined to talk in any way of the divorce proceedings, or of the probable outcome.